

Post-Office Notifications.

CHOWPOO AND SHANGHAI.—For *Trinity*, 10
A.M. this day.

A Mail will close
For SHANGHAI.—Per "*Yen*," on Thurs-
day the 7th Instant, at 9 P.M.

MAILS will be made up at this Office per
Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Com-
pany's Contract Packet "*ORISSA*," on SUN-
DAY, the 10th September, at 5 P.M.

To the United Kingdom via Mauritius, 2
via Southampton; to France and other Co-
cinnin) States (in a closed Mail to France
to Singapore, Penang, Batavia, Ceylon, Ba-
bay, Calcutta, Madras, and all parts of India
to Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, New
Zealand, and Tasmania; (via Point de Goutte
to Mauritius, Suva, Aden, Malacca, Gibraltar
and Alexandria; and a Supplementary Mail
be made up on the following morning. Letters
received from 9 to 11 o'clock for a late delivery
12 cents each. Newspapers 2 cents each;
from 12 to half-past 12 p.m. for a late

of 25 cents on each Letter, and 4 cents on each Paper. Registered Letters will not be received after 5 o'clock p.m. on the 10th September. A second Supplementary Mail will be open for the receipt of Letters only for France, and the United States of America, Marseilles and via Southampton, until 1 o'clock p.m. on the 11th September. All Letters posted between the hours of 11 and 1 o'clock must be prepaid.

Letters for the United Kingdom via Marseilles and via Southampton, and also Letters

Singapore, can be posted on board from 1.50 s.w. for a slate fee of 35 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no letters are received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the Window apart for the purpose.

All correspondence for places to which payment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently Stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, after one month.

Insufficiently Stamped, and unstamped, correspondence, addressed to places to which it cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers: Letters of this class, which must be posted before 6 P.M. on the day of closing the office, will be returned during the day: but no notice can be given that such Letters, which must be posted on the morning of the departure of the boat, will be returned until after the closing of the Mail.

The Postage Stamp should be placed on the right hand corner of the correspondence, at such places where they may be stamped in "Late Fees" when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower hand corner of the correspondence.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by the Ordinance of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 1st of January, 1864, and no other Coins but those so specified will either be received or be change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Note.

P. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General

Hongkong, 20th August, 1965

It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward Patterns and Samples of Mails may be forwarded by the Post between the Colony and Italy by the direct line of Air Mail between Alexandria and Ancona at the same rate as for ordinary mail.

of postage and under the same general regulations as those which govern the transmission of printed papers by route.

Arrangements have also been made under Books and Patents and Samples of Merchandise may be transmitted between Italy and Hong Kong through the United Kingdom.

In all cases the postage on such packets collected in Italy, and when it is not otherwise specified on the packets they will be sent (letters are at present forwarded) by way of Aden.

F. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General
General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th August 1885.

The subjoined communication from the Acting Superintendent of the Government Telegraphs, Bengal Circle, is published for general information.

F. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General
General Post Office, Hongkong, 5th August 1885.

CALCUTTA, 14th July.
 "Government, having sanctioned the office of the Kedgeree Telegraph Office to which Office Telegrams are forwarded from China for India, I request the favour of your issuing a N. O. effect the effect that all Telegrams sent by the Mail Steamers proceeding to Calcutta addressed to that place to be forwarded, to Kedgeree."

It is hereby notified for general information

that under an agreement with the Union Ship Company a branch mail Packet will be dispatched Monthly from Port Louis (Mauritius) to Table Bay (Cape of Good Hope) and will call at Port Louis, calling at Natal, immediately after the departure of the Packet from Suva and Aden, that on the 25th of each month, and will return to Port Louis in time for the Packet appointed to sail for Aden and Suva on the 5th of each month.

The establishment of this branch Packet affords the means of exchanging, via Aden and Natal, direct Mail between this Office and Mauritius, direct Mail between this Office and Cape Town, and direct Mail and the Store

The Post Office at Markt and from Hope; Mail will also be sent from via the Cape of Good Hope, to St. Helena, Ascension, to which places there is a Packet monthly from the Cape.

The postage to any of the above places for a letter,

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Appropriate to the Individual is the Hair: there can be no fixed or prevailing without destroying almost universally many of the *best enemies*. Indeed as is the contour of the human head and line, juxtaposition should be the trimment of the Hair. This fact is noted only those Hair-Cutters who possess judgment in matters of taste, cultivated proved by incessant study and application. rare class, Professor WHEELER, humble by one, and the Only One in this Col-

modestly but confidently invites all
be detrimental of his ability to give him
trial before pronouncing an adverse opi-
may be found at all hours of the day in
ments adjoining the Private Entrance
Oriental Hotel.

if 1980 Hongkong, 21st July, 1860

NOTICE.

BEING obliged to leave Hongkong
of ill health, I recommend all
who wish their Hair Cut and Dress
to Mr. J. H. Gurney, Wheeler, or
at the same place.

signed Mr. [redacted] the above
 one who thoroughly understands his P.
 Hongkong.

J. W. E. [redacted]
 at 1661 Hongkong 21st July, 1961

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